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ROBERT	J. SCHROEDER) Group Art Unit: 2874		
Serial N°:	09/892,144	Examiner: VALENCIA, D.E.		
Filed:	June 26, 2001) Docket N°: 60.1413 ()) RESPONSE		
For:	FIBER OPTIC SUPPORTED SENSOR TELEMETRY SYSTEM)		
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D. C. 20231.				
NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME				
Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed February 4, 2003 finally rejecting claims 1-27.				
The item(s) checked below are appropriate:	L 200		
	ATUS OF APPLICANT is application is on behalf of Schlumberger Technology Corporation [X] other than a small entity	on, a Texas corporation		

[X] other than a small entity

- 2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(e) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is \$320.00.
- 3. **EXTENSION OF TERM**

NOTE: The time periods set forth in 37 CFR 1.191 are subject to the provision of §1.136 for patent applications 37 CFR 1.191(c).

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

(a) [X] Applicant petitions for an extension of time for the total number of months checked below:

Exten (mont		Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
[]	one month two months three months	\$110.00 \$410.00 \$930.00	\$55.00 \$205.00 \$465.00
[]	four months five months	\$1450.00 \$1970.00	\$725.00 \$985.00

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If an ac	dditional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor. (check and complete the next item, if applicable)
	[] An extension for months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.
	Extension fee due with this request \$
(b)	or [X] Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.
4.	TOTAL FEE DUE The total fee due is Notice of Appeal Fee \$ 320.00 Extension Fee \$ TOTAL FEE DUE \$ \$320.00
5.	FEE PAYMENT
	[] Attached is a check in the sum of \$
6.	FEE DEFICIENCY
	[X] If any additional extension and/or fee is required, this is a request therefor and charge Account No. 19-0615 AND /OR
	[X] If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Account No. 19-0615
	Respectfully submitted,

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